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Applicant: Peter J. DeVries, *et al.*

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BINDING ANTIBODIES

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith is a Status Inquiry for Peter J. DeVries, *et al.*, for ERYTHROPOIETIN RECEPTOR BINDING ANTIBODIES, the specification of which was filed on October 10, 2003, and received Serial No. October 10, 2003.

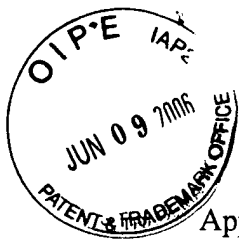
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Dear Sir:

More than thirty-one months have passed since the filing of this application on October 10, 2003. No communication has been received from the Patent and Trademark Office indicating action on this application. Thus, it is respectfully requested that Applicants' attorney be informed of the status of the application as soon as possible.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 concerning this transmission, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-0025.

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